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RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Election/Restriction Requirement mailed December 9, 2004,

Applicants elect Group I (Claims 1-8), without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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